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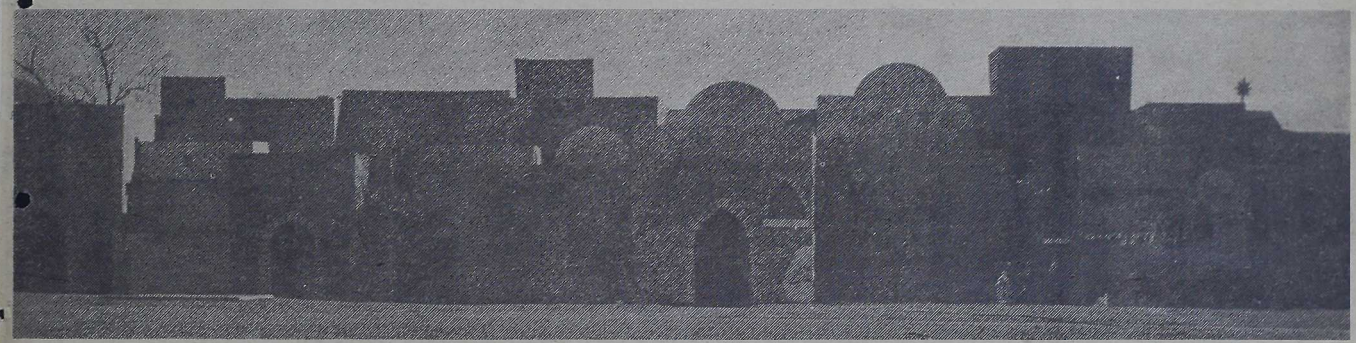


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HOLY CITY—The 3d Battalion, 8th Marines, won this year's Christmas Decorating contest and the Commanding General's rotating trophy with their entry of the Holy City. The scene was made of cardboard and covered the entire front of the

battalion headquarters building. For pictures of the other entries, see pages 6-7. No picture of the 1st ITR display was available due to a vandal wind which blew the display down. (Photo by Sgt. R. D. Crabtree)

Base Commander Wants Men To 'Recruit A Buddy'

In a letter published this week to all Marines in the Camp Lejeune complex, Maj. Gen. J. P. Berkeley says that the continued strength of the Corps' numbers rests on the shoulders of the men now serving. With this in mind, a campaign to "recruit a buddy" has begun at Camp Lejeune, urging men going on holiday leave to participate in the program, if not by recruiting another person, then through impressing them with dress and bearing.

For over 186 years, Marines everywhere have been justly proud of their distinction as members of a volunteer organization. Maintaining such an organization has been made possible through the concerted efforts and assistance of individual Marines throughout the world.

"Recent surveys indicate that over 70 per cent of men who join the Marine Corps do so as a result of contact with Marines, former Marines and relatives of Marines. It has long been known that the most successful method of obtaining volunteers who meet the high standards for enlistment in the Marine Corps is through individual Marines—like yourself.

"The task of maintaining the proud traditional character of the Marine Corps is one for the entire Corps, not the Recruiting Service alone.

"You can do your part while home on leave by 'recruiting a buddy.' Stop and think for a moment. How many men do you know in your home town who would make good Marines? Make it a point to look them up at your first opportunity. Tell them about your experiences in

Thank You

In keeping with the established custom of only one issue during the holiday season, the GLOBE will not publish Dec. 28. Regular publication deadline will be resumed, however, for the Jan. 4 issue.

The GLOBE staff expresses appreciation to all of our readers, contributors and photographers for their splendid support during 1961.

To our readers and friends from New River to Isabella Segunda, Puerto Rico—from Barcelona, Spain, to the Suez—to all Marines aboard Navy ships on the high seas—to our Tar Heel friends who print the GLOBE at Mount Olive, N. C., and especially to the kids — A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS, and to one and all — A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Christmas Trophy Won By 3/8 With Holy Land Scene

The 3d Battalion, 8th Marines, won the Commanding General's rotating trophy here today in the Camp Lejeune annual Christmas Decorating contest. Honorable mention went to entries from the 2d Motor Transport Battalion, 2d Marine Division; 8th Communications Battalion, Force Troops, and the joint entry of the 2d Pioneer Battalion and 2d Battalion, 2d Marines, 2d Marine Division.

The winning entry consisted of a scene depicting the Holy City with a creche centered. The scene was made of cardboard and covered the entire front of the Battalion Headquarters.

Second Motor Transport Battalion won an honorable mention for their entry of a Medieval Christmas scene. Eighth Communications entry featured Mr. Magoo chauffeuring Santa Claus in an old model car perched on top of a telephone pole. The joint entry of Pioneer Battalion and the 2d Marines was a

country church scene. Other units entered in the competition were: 8th Engineer Battalion, Force Troops; 10th Marines; 2d Reconnaissance Battalion; Base Brig; Base Materiel Battalion; 2d Amphibian Tractor Battalion; 2d Marines; 2d Anti-Tank Battalion; 2d Service Battalion; Headquarters and Service Battalion, Marine Corps Base; 6th Marines, and the First Infantry Training Regiment.

Get Set, Kids! Tomorrow Is 'Frolic' Day

The 9th annual Camp Lejeune dependent children's Christmas party will be held tomorrow at 2 p.m. in Goettge Memorial Field House.

"Yuletide Frolics," a 45-minute variety show featured at the party last year, will step back into the spotlight again this year with top-name dog and balancing acts, ventriloquists and clowns.

Among the variety of entertainers and entertainment will be Kismet the Mystic, a magician of national standing with tricks to spare. Kismet can make members of the audience part with \$1, \$5, and \$10 bills and produce them inside an orange or he can remember whole sequences of numbers, make a deck of cards jump about at will and repeat a long string of words and their associations backwards.

Following the variety show the kids will be given Christmas stockings chock full of nuts, Christmas candies and fruit as they file out the door for the parade ground and the grand finale of the party; a chat with Santa Claus who will land on the Base Parade Ground in his helicopter direct from the North Pole.

REST IN PIECES, OH, YE HEEDLESS



DON'T LET THIS HAPPEN TO YOU THIS CHRISTMAS

Travelers

The Provost Marshal's Office now has a Weather Board posting the weather and road conditions. This board covers conditions from Bangor, Maine, south to Miami, Fla., and from Ft. Wayne, Ind., south to Pensacola, Fla. The board is located in front of Bldg. 37 Marine Corps Base.

The weather conditions are posted on the board daily. Also included is a 48-hour forecast. Weather conditions may be obtained from the board or by calling 7-3635.

CMC And Local Commanders Extend Greetings

To all Marines, and to their families, I extend my warmest personal greetings and my very best wishes for a Merry Christmas.

In the spirit of the season, we turn our thoughts to the Star of Bethlehem, to the three wise men of the Orient who traveled far bearing gifts, and to the Child in a manger. As we recall the story of the birth of Christ, we are inspired again by its promise of peace and brotherhood.

It is a promise, we know, that can be fulfilled only when the dignity of the individual and the freedom of the mind and spirit are recognized throughout the world. These are the ideals of America and the free world. They are ideals which Marines stand ready to defend against any forces of tyranny and aggression.

On this Christmas of 1961, may we recall the age-old words "on earth, peace, good will toward men" with renewed meaning and rededicate ourselves to the service of right and freedom.

May the spirit of Christmas be with Marines and all who are dear to them not only at this season but throughout the coming year.

DAVID M. SHOUP

General, U. S. Marine Corps
Commandant of the Marine Corps

Christmas Menu

Chilled Fruit Cup	Louisiana Hot Sauce
Shrimp Cocktail	Saltines
French Onion Soup	Roast of Beef
Roast Tom Turkey	Mushroom and Giblet Gravy
Apple-Sage Dressing	Snowflake Potatoes
Buttered Green Peas	French String Beans
Chilled Cranberry Sauce	Assorted Relishes
Fresh and Raw Salad Bar	Assorted Salad Dressing
Hot Cloverleaf Rolls	Butter
Christmas Fruit Cake	Holiday Ice Cream
Pumpkin Pie with Whipped Cream	Hot Mincemeat Pie
Fresh Fruit Bowl	
Assortment of Hard Colorful Christmas Candies	
Assorted Mixed Nuts	
Chilled Fresh Milk	Ice Fruit Punch
Hot Coffee	

This Christmas season finds us, as Marines busy with our responsibility of helping to safeguard world peace. It is the tradition of the Marine Corps to be ever faithful, and the spirit of Christmas serves to remind us that as Christians as well as Marines we have a sacred duty to perform in guarding the things that are decent, peaceful and law-abiding. Whether it is at or in battle, on land or sea, in peace or war, our Motto, "SEMPER FIDELIS," is the watchword.

So, as we partake in this holiday meal, we rededicate ourselves to our job, in whatever places it may lead us, of being faithful to a just God, decency in living, our country which makes this possible, and to our Corps which we are proud to serve.

A very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to one and all.

J. P. BERKELEY

Major General, U. S. Marine Corps
Commanding, Marine Corps Base

F. L. WIESEMAN

Major General, U. S. Marine Corps
Commanding, 2d Marine Division, FMF

W. B. KYLE

Brigadier General, U. S. Marine Corps
Commanding, Force Troops, FMF Atlantic

W. C. HUMBERD

Colonel, U. S. Marine Corps
Commanding, Marine Corps Air Facility

CLIP AND SAVE

School Bus Schedule

Effective Jan. 2

SCHEDULE NO. 1

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
U.S.N.H. and Paradise Point to Camp High School and Brewster School.			
H-151		0745	1
H-Surgeons Row		0747	1
3300-3306 Cooper St.		0752	1
3300-3344 Jones St.		0753	1
3300-3362 Pender St.		0755	1
3400-3407 Timmerman Ave.		0757	1
3400-3402 Timmerman Ave.		0759	1
To: Camp High School and Brewster School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
U.S.N.H. and Paradise Point to Stone Street School.			
H-151		0825	1
H-Surgeons Row		0827	1
2700-2730 Winston Rd.		0834	1
2700-Winston Rd. & Wavel St.		0835	1
To: Stone Street School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Paradise Point to Camp High School and Brewster School.			
3200-3237 Eden St.		0800	2
3100-3131 Eden St.		0802	2
3000-3020 Eden St.		0803	2
3100-3145 Bevin St.		0805	2
To: Camp High School and Brewster School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Paradise Point to Camp High School and Brewster School.			
2900-2927 St. Mary's Dr.		0800	3
2900-2918 St. Mary's Dr.		0804	3
To: Camp High School and Brewster School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Paradise Point to Camp High School and Brewster School.			
2400-2408 St. Mary's Dr.		0757	4
2400-2419 St. Mary's Dr.		0759	4
To: Camp High School and Brewster School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Paradise Point to Stone Street School.			
2300-2319 St. Mary's Dr.		0825	4
2300-2319 St. Mary's Dr.		0828	4
2300-2327 St. Mary's Dr.		0830	4
2300-2321 St. Mary's Dr.		0831	4
2000-Kent Rd. & Autumn Cr.		0833	4
To: Stone Street School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Paradise Point to Camp High School and Brewster School.			
2200-2227 St. Mary's Dr.		0755	5
To: Camp High School and Brewster School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Paradise Point to Camp High School and Brewster School.			
2100-2121 St. Mary's Dr.		0757	6
2000-Kent Rd. & Autumn Cr.		0759	6
To: Camp High School and Brewster School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Paradise Point to Camp High School and Brewster School.			
2700-2730 Winston Rd.		0800	22
2700-Winston Rd. & Wavel St.		0802	22
To: Camp High School and Brewster School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Paradise Point to Camp High School and Brewster School.			
2000-2002 Cukula St.		0805	21
2000-2002 Cukula St.		0806	21
To: Camp High School and Brewster School.			

SCHEDULE NO. 2

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Midway Park to Brewster and Camp High School.			
1000-1023 Butler Dr.		0750	7
1000-1060 Butler Dr.		0752	7
1400-1422 Butler Drive		0754	7
1700-1713 Butler Drive		0755	7
1800-1814 Culver Cir.		0758	7
2000-2003 Butler Cir.		0802	7
1600-1632 Butler Drive		0804	7
1800-1802 Butler Cir.		0806	7
1800-1824 Butler Drive		0808	7
To: Brewster School and Camp High School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Midway Park to Brewster and Camp High School.			
1000-1023 Butler Dr.		0750	7
1000-1060 Butler Dr.		0752	7
1400-1422 Butler Drive		0754	7
1700-1713 Butler Drive		0755	7
1800-1814 Culver Cir.		0758	7
2000-2003 Butler Cir.		0802	7
1600-1632 Butler Drive		0804	7
1800-1802 Butler Cir.		0806	7
1800-1824 Butler Drive		0808	7
To: Brewster School and Camp High School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
High School.			
3300-3306 Lee Ave.		0750	8
800-303 Butler Dr.		0752	8
300-303 Butler Drive		0754	8
400-410 Butler Dr.		0756	8
600-624 Butler Drive		0800	8
700-709 Butler Dr.		0802	8
To: Brewster and Camp High School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Midway Park (Culver Circle) to Midway Park School.			
114 Culver Cir.		0830	19
To: Midway Park School.			

SCHEDULE NO. 3

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Tarawa Terrace I to Tarawa Terrace School.			
900-956 E. Peleliu		0742	9
1000-1002 E. Peleliu		0744	9
1000-1032 E. Peleliu		0746	9
1000-1070 E. Peleliu		0748	9
1100-1108 E. Peleliu		0750	9
To: Tarawa Terrace School.			

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Tarawa Terrace I to Brewster and Camp High School.			
900-956 E. Peleliu		0800	9
900-956 E. Peleliu		0802	9
1000-1002 E. Peleliu		0804	9
1000-1032 E. Peleliu		0806	9
1000-1070 E. Peleliu		0808	9
1100-1108 E. Peleliu		0810	9
To: Brewster and Camp High School.			

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Tarawa Terrace I to Tarawa Terrace School.			
900-956 E. Peleliu		0740	10
1000-1002 E. Peleliu		0742	10
1000-1032 E. Peleliu		0744	10
1000-1070 E. Peleliu		0746	10
1100-1108 E. Peleliu		0748	10
1100-1108 E. Peleliu		0750	10
To: Tarawa Terrace School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Tarawa Terrace I to Brewster and Camp High School.			
900-956 E. Peleliu		0800	10
900-956 E. Peleliu		0802	10
1000-1002 E. Peleliu		0804	10
1000-1032 E. Peleliu		0806	10
1000-1070 E. Peleliu		0808	10
1100-1108 E. Peleliu		0810	10
To: Brewster and Camp High School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Tarawa Terrace I to Tarawa Terrace School.			
1300-1321 Incheon St.		0740	11
1200-1245 Incheon St.		0742	11
1200-1201 Incheon St.		0744	11
To: Tarawa Terrace School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Tarawa Terrace I to Brewster and Camp High School.			
1300-1321 Incheon St.		0800	11
1200-1245 Incheon St.		0802	11
1200-1201 Incheon St.		0804	11
To: Brewster and Camp High School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Tarawa Terrace I to Tarawa Terrace School.			
1400-1419 Incheon St.		0740	12
1300-1251 Incheon St.		0742	12
To: Tarawa Terrace School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Tarawa Terrace I to Brewster and Camp High School.			
300-314 W. Peleliu		0800	12
400-440 W. Peleliu		0802	12
500-522 W. Peleliu		0804	12
600-634 W. Peleliu		0806	12
600-682 W. Peleliu		0810	12
To: Brewster and Camp High School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Tarawa Terrace I to Midway Park School.			
900-956 E. Peleliu		0805	19
900-956 E. Peleliu		0806	19
To: Midway Park School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Tarawa Terrace II to Brewster and Camp High School.			
3200-3220 Guam Dr.		0752	15
3200-3227 Guam Dr.		0754	15
3400-3441 Hagaru Dr.		0756	15
3400-3433 Hagaru Dr.		0758	15
3300-3385 Hagaru Dr.		0800	15
3300-3359 Hagaru Dr.		0801	15
3300-3369 Hagaru Dr.		0802	15
To: Brewster and Camp High School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Tarawa Terrace II to Brewster and Camp High School.			
2500-2568 Bougainville		0750	16
2600-2620 Bougainville		0752	16
2600-2650 Bougainville		0754	16
2900-2927 Saipan		0756	16
2900-2937 Saipan		0757	16
2900-2901 Saipan		0758	16
To: Brewster and Camp High School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Tarawa Terrace II to Brewster and Camp High School.			
2600-2670 Bougainville		0755	17
2700-2768 Bougainville		0757	17
2800-2828 Bougainville		0759	17
2800-2838 Bougainville		0801	17
2000-2010 Bougainville		0804	17
To: Brewster and Camp High School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Tarawa Terrace II to Brewster and Camp High School.			
2300-2339 Tarawa Blvd.		0755	18
2200-2267 Tarawa Blvd.		0757	18
2200-2221 Tarawa Blvd.		0759	18
2100-2110 Tarawa Blvd.		0800	18
2000-2021 Tarawa Blvd.		0802	18
To: Brewster and Camp High School.			

SCHEDULE NO. 5

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Camp Knox to Montford Point School.			
300-300 Boston Rd.		0730	19
400-406 Boston Rd.		0732	19
400-427 Boston Rd.		0734	19
400-445 Florence Rd.		0736	19
400-478 Florence Rd.		0738	19
Bus No. 19 also picks up overload on Raleigh Drive.			
To: Montford Point School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Camp Knox to Montford Point School.			
Raleigh Dr.-D-38 Wash		0740	20
Raleigh Dr.-D-34 Wash		0742	20
Raleigh Dr.-D-32 Wash		0744	20
To: Montford Point School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Camp Knox to Brewster and Camp High School.			
400-478 Florence Rd.		0755	20
400-445 Florence Rd.		0757	20
400-427 Boston Rd.		0759	20
400-406 Boston Rd.		0801	20
Raleigh Drive-D-32 Wash		0803	20
Raleigh Drive-D-34 Wash		0804	20
Raleigh Dr.-MP Station		0805	20
To: Brewster and Camp High School.			

SCHEDULE NO. 6

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Rifle Range and CHB to Stone Street, Camp High and Brewster School.			
RR-33-43		0702	21
CHB-BB120		0723	21
CHB-BB-23		0725	21
To: Stone Street School.			

SCHEDULE NO. 7

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Berkeley Manor to Stone Street School.			
5500-5516 Virginia St.		0815	7
5500-5522 Virginia St.		0817	7
To: Stone Street School.			

Block	Pick-up	Time	Bus
Berkeley Manor to Stone Street School.			
5700-5715 Virginia St.		0815	11
To: Stone Street School.			

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A black and white photograph showing three soldiers in a trench. The soldier on the left wears glasses and a cap, looking towards the camera. The soldier in the center wears a cap and is reading a newspaper. The soldier on the right is partially visible, also wearing a cap. They are surrounded by wooden planks and debris in the trench.

Division Marine Awarded Navy Medal For Heroism

Fowlkers Cited For Leadership Abilities As Plane Mechanic

Division Sergeant Is Awarded Mast For Excellence In Work

How You Can Help Your Country

This is a great responsibility for every individual citizen, and we need to be conscious of it in these days.
—Eleanor Roosevelt (Mrs. F. D.)
(AFPS)

Language students at Camp Lejeune High School learning their Latin or Spanish can say that after two years they speak more than just a word.

Catholic Worship Services

Saturday, Dec. 23

Confessions

Main Chapel—4-6 p.m.; 7-9 p.m.
U. S. Naval Hospital—6-1 p.m.
Camp Geiger—6 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 24

Confessions

Main Chapel—4-6 p.m.

Mass

Main Chapel—7, 8, 9:30, 11 a.m.
Midway Park—8:30 a.m.
Camp Geiger—8:30 a.m.
Tarawa Terrace—9 a.m.
Montford Point—9 a.m.
U. S. Naval Hospital—11 a.m.
Air Facility—8:30, 9:45 a.m.
Courthouse Bay—9:30 a.m.

Midnight Mass

Base Catholic Chapel
U. S. Naval Hospital
Air Facility

Christmas Day, Dec. 25

Mass

Main Chapel—7, 8, 9:30, 11 a.m.
Midway Park—8:30 a.m.
Camp Geiger—8:30 a.m.
Tarawa Terrace—9 a.m.
Montford Point—9 a.m.
U. S. Naval Hospital—11 a.m.
Air Facility—8:30, 9:45 a.m.
Courthouse Bay—9:30 a.m.
Camp Knox—12 noon

Confessions

Air Facility—7 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 31

Mass

Main Chapel—7, 8, 9:30, 11 a.m.
Courthouse Bay—9:30 a.m.
Midway Park—8:30 a.m.
Camp Geiger—8:30 a.m.
Tarawa Terrace—9 a.m.
Montford Point—9 a.m.
Air Facility—8:30, 9:45 a.m.
Camp Knox—12 noon
U. S. Naval Hospital—11 a.m.

Chaplain's Corner

Some years ago, just at the end of a session of Congress in Washington, the late Senator Huey Long of Louisiana said to the Chaplain of the Senate, "Sir, I have a premonition that I am about to die. I'm not ready to die. There are a lot of things I've got to get straight with God first." The Chaplain said, "All right, Senator. Let's get them straight . . . right now!" Mr. Long did what a lot of other folks have done when challenged to get straight with God: he turned and walked away. A month later, the Chaplain, en route to Europe, picked up the ship newspaper for the day and read that Huey Long had been shot to death in Baton Rouge. The premonition had come true.

I think this story has a lesson both for the Christian and the non-Christian because it points out the danger of neglecting decisions which influence one's spiritual life. So often we have the tendency to project any religious action or decision into the future. We are going to commit ourselves to Christ, live better lives, attend church, pray more, have great faith, etc., but we are going to do it . . . TOMORROW. We feel a need to get things "straightened out with God," but we prefer not to do anything about it now. We try to comfort ourselves with the rationalization that our intentions are good . . . and we go on living the same way.

It is not wise for a man to gamble on the future in regard to decisions affecting the spiritual life for two reasons. One is that there may not be any future for the person involved, and the other reason is that by delaying any decision you are using up the time which should be used for spiritual growth and development. The mature person will heed the words of Joshua who once challenged Israel by saying, "Choose ye this day who ye will serve."

—Chaplain Donald N. Paulson,
2d Serv. Bn., 2d Division.

Peace On Earth



AND it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed. And all went to be taxed, every one into his own city. And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth into Judea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, to be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.

AND so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she would be delivered. And she brought forth her first-born son and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.

AND there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flocks by night. And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid.

AND the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day, in the city of David, a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you: Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.

AND suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host, praising God and saying, Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

Protestant Worship Services

Friday, Dec. 22

Christmas caroling at U. S. Naval Hospital and Base Brig. Meet first in Base Protestant Chapel at 6:30 p.m., Dec. 22. Tarawa Terrace—Caroling with Chapel Choir—7 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 23

7th Day Adventist—Sabbath School, Montford Point, 9:30 a.m. Worship Service, 11 a.m.

Sunday, Dec. 24

Base Protestant Chapel—8 a.m., 9:15 a.m., 11 a.m., 8 p.m.
Midway Park—9:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m.
Montford Point—10 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m.
Tarawa Terrace—9:30 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m.

Camp Geiger—10 a.m.
Stone Street School—9:15 a.m.
Naval Hospital—9:30 a.m., 8 p.m.
Christian Science—Brewster Elementary School, 9:30 a.m., 11 a.m.
Revised Latter Day of Saints—Camp Knox Chapel, 9:30 a.m., 10:15 a.m.
Courthouse Bay—10:30 a.m., 8 p.m.

Christmas Day, Dec. 25

Base Protestant Chapel—9 a.m.

Saturday, Dec. 30

7th Day Adventist—9:30 a.m., 11 a.m., Montford Point.

Sunday, Dec. 31

Base Protestant Chapel—8 a.m., 9:15 a.m., 11 a.m.
Midway Park—9 a.m., 10 a.m.
Tarawa Terrace—9:30 a.m., 10:45 a.m.
Naval Hospital—9:30 a.m.
Marine Corps Air Facility—9:30 a.m., 11 a.m.

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Camp Geiger—10 a.m.
Courthouse Bay—10:30 a.m.
Stone Street School—9:15 a.m.
Christian Science—Brewster Elementary School, 9:30 a.m., 11 a.m.

Revised Latter Day of Saints—Camp Knox Chapel, 9:30 a.m., 10:15 a.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 3

Christian Science—Brewster Elementary School, 8 p.m.

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Top Entertainers To Play Clubs Over The Holidays

Some top-notch entertainers will be appearing at Lejeune clubs throughout the holiday season. Among them will be Lee Castle, leader of the Jimmy Dorsey orchestra, playing at the Paradise Point Officers Club; Billy Butterfield at the NCO Club, and Bruce Stevens and his orchestra entertaining at the Hadnot Point Staff NCO Annex.

MONTFORD POINT STAFF NCO ANNEX — Happy Hours on Friday will be from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. The dinner special for the evening is golden brown perch or breaded cutlets being served for 50 cents from 6 to 8 p.m. The Victorians will be playing for your dancing and listening pleasure on Saturday. Specialties from the kitchen will be T-bone steaks (16 oz.) and all the trimmings for one dollar. The dinner special for Sunday is T-bone or Sirloin steaks being served at \$1.25 for adults, and 75 cents for children. The club will be closed on Christmas day. Happy Hours on Tuesday will be from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. and the dinner special for the evening is cube steak served for 50 cents. Wednesday is game night and the club's specialty for the evening will be Pizza Pie served for 50 cents. The Dec. 29 dinner specials will be filet of flounder or spaghetti with meat sauce and garlic bread. On Dec. 30, Frank Kast and his orchestra will be playing for your dancing and listening pleasure.

CAMP GEIGER STAFF NCO ANNEX — Happy Hours on Friday will



Billy Butterfield

be from 4 to 6 p.m., and again on Sunday from 5 to 7 p.m. A free breakfast will be served during the club's New Year's party.

NCO CLUB — The club will not have a game night on Dec. 26 or Jan. 2. Billy Butterfield and his



Bruce Stevens

orchestra will be playing for the club's New Year's Eve party.

AIR FACILITY STAFF NCO CLUB — Tonight is game night at the club. Happy Hours on Friday will be from 4:30 to 6 p.m. Eddie Long and his Sophisticates will be furnishing the music for dancing on Saturday from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Happy Hours for Dec. 27 are from 4:30 to 6 p.m. Dec. 28 will be game night and Happy Hours again on Dec. 29, will be from 4:30 to 6 p.m.

COURTHOUSE BAY STAFF NCO ANNEX — Happy Hours on Friday are from 4 to 6 p.m. The dinner special for the evening will be breaded veal cutlets served for 50 cents. On Dec. 29, Happy Hours will be from 4 to 6 p.m., and the dinner special will be breaded shrimp dinner for 50 cents.

PARADISE POINT OFFICERS CLUB — The club's main dining



Lee Castle

room will be closed on Friday and Saturday. The main bar will be closed on Dec. 24 and 25, but the Stag and Doe bars will be open from 12 p.m. to 7 p.m. The Sophisticates will play for dancing Dec. 30. Jimmy Dorsey's orchestra will play for the club's New Year's Eve party. The Dec. 17, Sunday, buffet dinner will feature oysters imperial, veal curry and chicken kiel.

HADNOT POINT STAFF NCO ANNEX — Friday will be Bring the Boss evening from 4 to 8 p.m. The menu special is lobster tail served for \$1.50. The Five Bits of Rhythm will play for dancing on Saturday night. A turkey dinner buffet will be served Sunday from 1 to 3 p.m. Santa will be calling the numbers for the kiddies' game from 3 to 5 p.m. Ice cream, cake and candy will be served to the kiddies. Happy Hours will be from 5 to 6 p.m. On Dec. 29, it will be the Five Bits of Rhythm playing for your dancing and listening pleasure, the dinner special for the evening will be crab cakes with all the trimmings for \$1. Sammy Guthrie will play for dancing on Dec. 30. Music for the club's New Year's Eve party will be furnished by Bruce Stevens and his orchestra in the Mirror Room and Mel Peed and orchestra in the Bowling Alley area.

Christmas Gifts

Santa's little helpers, all members of the Stone Street Sunday School donated 223 individual gifts and \$75 in cash to the children of the "Rose of Sharon" home in Santurce, Puerto Rico. Each child at the Stone Street Sunday School gave a gift for a child of his own age at the home.

Clubs Feature Gala Events For Christmas, New Year's

Hadnot Point Staff NCO Annex

Dec. 24—Buffet Dinner 1 to 5 p.m., Adults \$1, Children 50 cents. Kiddies game with Santa 3 to 5 p.m. Happy Hours 7 to 9 p.m.

Dec. 25—Ham or Turkey Dinners, Adults \$1.25, Children 75 cents.

Dec. 31—New Year's Eve party, Bruce Stevens and orchestra (Mirror Room), Mel Peed and orchestra (Bowling Alley). Noisemakers, hats, and confetti available at the club. Breakfast served from midnight until 4 a.m. Bars open until 2 a.m. No reservations.

Jan. 1—Same as December 25.



Montford Point Staff NCO Annex

Dec. 24—Dinner Special 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., T-Bone or Sirloin Steaks. Adults \$1.25, Children 75 cents.

Dec. 25—Closed.

Dec. 31—Buffet menu, Roast Beef, Virginia Baked Ham, Fried Chicken, 5:30 to 8 p.m. Adults \$1.25, Children 75 cents. New Year's Eve party, 8:30 p.m., music by Bob Jones and his Crazy Bob Cats. Noisemakers, hats, and confetti available at the club. No reservations required.

Jan. 1—Holiday club hours.



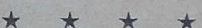
Courthouse Bay Staff NCO Annex

Dec. 24—Special steak dinners for one dollar from 2 to 5 p.m. Happy Hours 7 to 9 p.m.

Dec. 25—Holiday club hours.

Dec. 31—Special steak dinners for one dollar, 2 to 5 p.m. Happy Hours 7 to 9 p.m. New Year's Eve party, music by the Rainbow Wranglers 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Noisemakers available at the club. No reservations required.

Jan. 1—Holiday club hours.



Camp Geiger Staff NCO Annex

Dec. 25—Holiday club hours.

Dec. 31—New Year's Eve party, 8:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. Music by Roy Dixon. A free breakfast will be served starting at 1 a.m. Noisemakers, hats, and confetti, furnished by the club. No reservations required.

Jan. 1—Holiday club hours.



NCO Club

Dec. 25—Club hours 2 to 11 p.m.

Dec. 31—New Year's Eve party and dancing with Billy Butterfield and his orchestra, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Noisemakers, hats, confetti, available at the club. Reservations required. Price one dollar.

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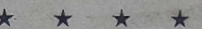


Air Facility Staff NCO Club

Dec. 25—Happy Hours 4:30 to 6 p.m.

Dec. 31—New Year's Eve party with music by the Five Bits of Rhythm starting at 9 p.m. Noisemakers, hats, and confetti available at the club.

Jan. 1—Holiday club hours.



Paradise Point Officers Club

Dec. 24—The main dining room and bar will be closed. Cafeteria open 5 to 7:30 p.m. Stag and Doe bar open 12 noon to 7 p.m.

Dec. 25—Same as December 24.

Dec. 31—Jimmy Dorsey's Orchestra, under the direction of Leo Castle, will play for the New Year's Eve party starting at 9 p.m. Noisemakers, streamers and hats will be available at the club. Cost of the evening's entertainment, including dinner and Happy Hour prices for beverages, will be \$5.50 per person. Reservations required. Dress for the evening will be Dress Blue "B", Evening Dress "B" or appropriate formal civilian attire.

Jan. 1—Holiday club hours.



Marine Corps Air Facility Officers Club

Dec. 24—Normal club hours for the bar.

Dec. 25—Closed.

Dec. 31—Bar will close at 7 p.m.

Jan. 1—Bar open 10 a.m. until 8 p.m.

MOVIE MEMO

SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

TITLE	MID	CB	NH	RR	MP	CGI	IA	CT	500	CGO	AF	TP	DI
Lights Of The Round Table													21
High Time													22
The Big Gamble												21	22
The Searchers												21	22
Young Doctors												21	22
Ada												21	22
Bomb Over China												21	22
Claudelle Inglish												21	22
The Great Impostor												21	22
These Wilder Years												21	22
Sardonicus												21	22
South Sea Fury												21	22
Fanny												21	22
Lost Battalion												21	22
September Storm												21	22
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Girl Most Likely												21	22
Psycho												21	22
Pirates Of Tortuga												21	22
Jet Pilot												21	22
Guns Of The Black Witch												21	22
Rock All Night												21	22
Annie Get Your Gun												21	22
A Thunder Of Drums												21	22
Everything Ducky												21	22
Snake Woman												21	22

* No movie due to Game Night

** Movie starts at 2015 (Committee meeting)

MIDWAY PARK (MID)—Daily at 6 and 8:30 p.m.
COURTHOUSE BAY (CB)—Indoor, one showing daily 7 p.m., Sat., Sun., holiday. Indoors 11:32 2 p.m. daily.
NAVAL HOSPITAL (NH)—7 p.m. Mon-Fri 1:15 and 7 p.m. Sat-Sun, (Pa. House only)
RIFLE RANGE (RR)—Indoors, 7 p.m. p.m.

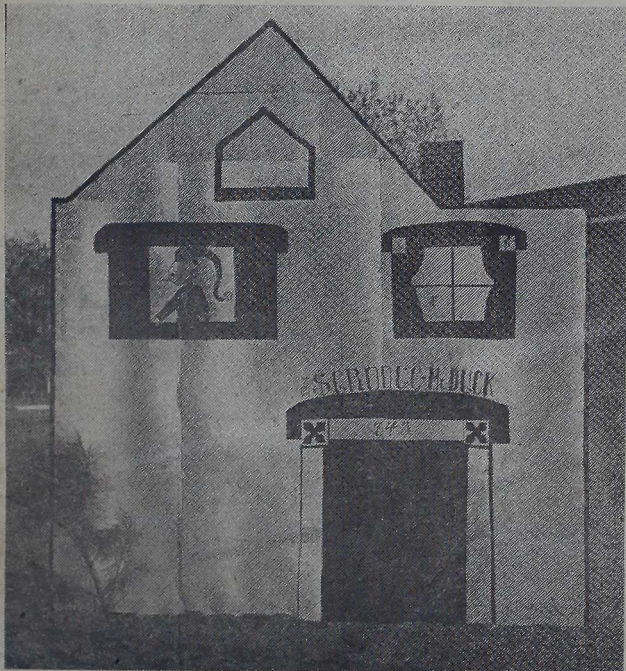
MONTFORD POINT (MP)—Outdoors, Monday through Sunday at 7 p.m.
CAMP GEIGER (CG)—Indoors, 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.
INDUSTRIAL AREA (IA)—Outdoors one-half hour after sundown.
CAMP THEATER (CT)—6 and 8:30 p.m. Monday thru Friday; 2, 6 and 8:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

500 AREA (500)—Outdoors at 7 p.m.
CAMP GEIGER OUTDOOR (CGO)—7 and 9 p.m.
AIR FACILITY, NEW RIVER (AF)—Closed Mon., Tues. and Wed., for painting. Indoors, 6 and 8 p.m.
CAMP GEIGER TRAILER PARK (TP)—Indoors at Community Center, 7:30 p.m.
DRIVE-IN (DI)—Begins at 7 p.m.

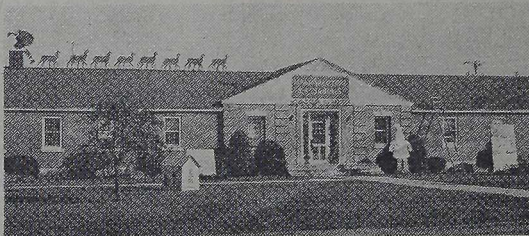
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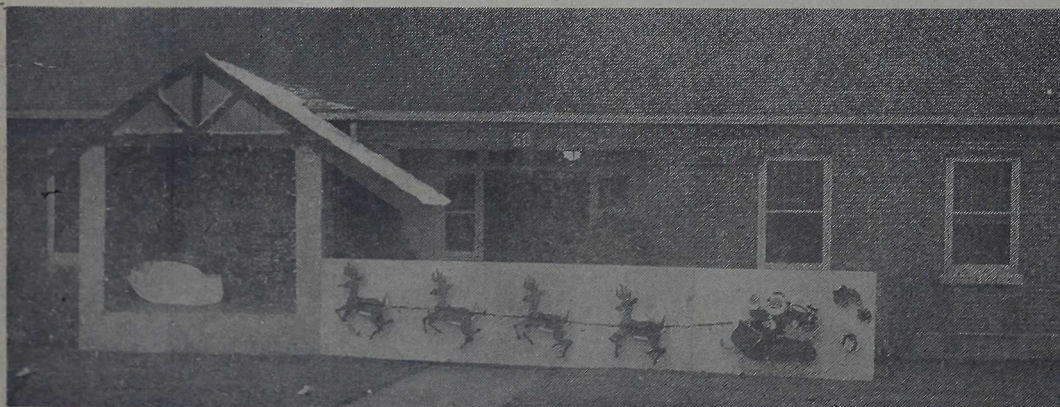
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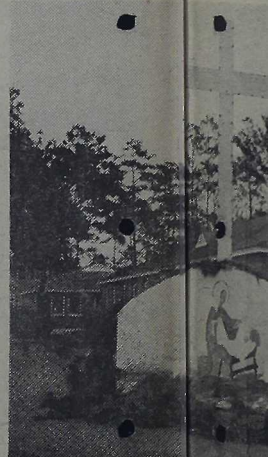
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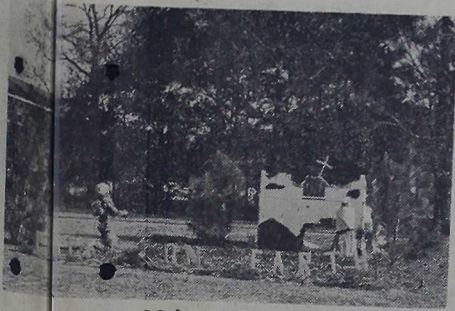


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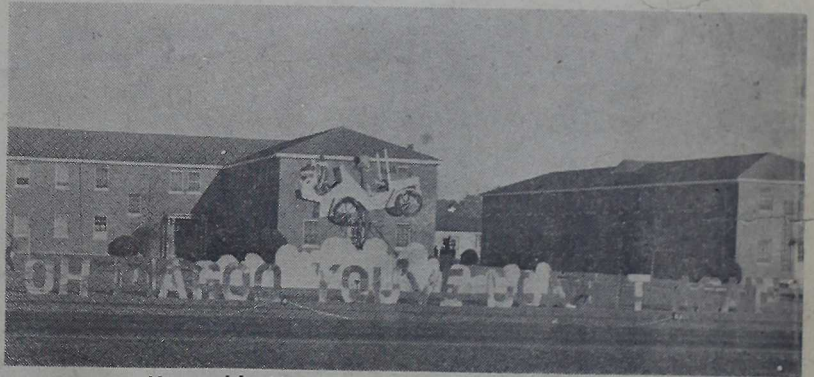
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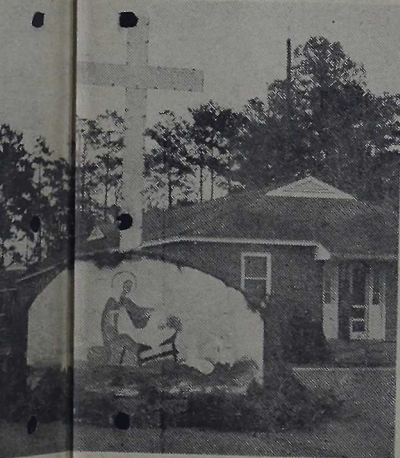
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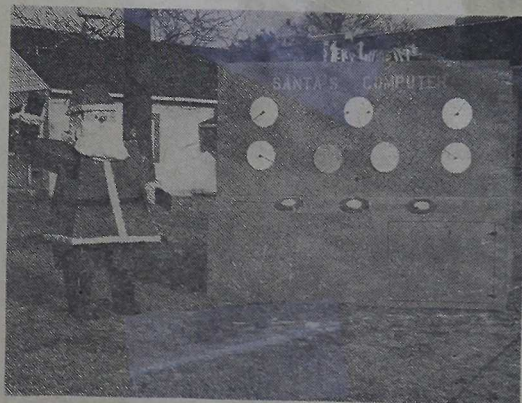
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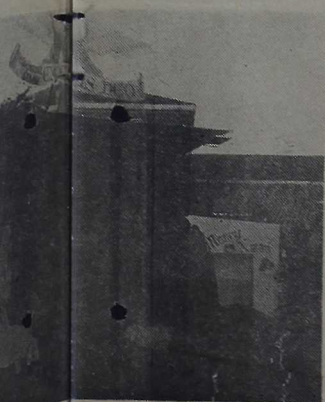
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2d Amphibian Tractor Battalion, FMF

GLOBE SPORTS

Pikeville, Georgia Southern Complete '61 Tourney Roster

(EDITOR'S NOTE—This is the third and final article covering the colleges competing against Camp Lejeune for the Fourth Annual Christmas Invitational Basketball tournament to be played at the Goettge Memorial Field House, Dec. 27, 28, 29.)

With the opening of the Fourth Annual Camp Lejeune Christmas Invitational Tournament less than a week away, the Camp Lejeune Marines figure to have a rough task ahead of them in an attempt to regain the championship they relinquished last year to Pikeville College, from Pikeville, Ky. Pikeville is also back again this year with four returning lettermen from last year's Christmas Tourney champions. Leading the returnees is Pete Campbell, a 6'3", 190-pound senior from

Chattroy, W. Va. Pete was one of the few stars of the freshman team to become a varsity starter for his first year, two years ago. He has been a member of the first five since he joined the Bears.

Another returnee from the championship squad is 6-foot, 185-lb., senior, John Will Hunt. Hunt is not a high scorer but has been labeled as the slickest ball-handler of the Bear squad. He led the Bears in the final playoff game last year for the District NAIA championship.

The other returnees who saw only limited action last year are 6'4" Gerald Preston and 6'5" Don Elliott.

Preston, from Meally, Ky., was used very lightly as was all last year's reserves. He was the star and leading scorer of the freshman squad two years ago.

Elliott, like Preston, was also used sparingly last year. He only started one game for the Pikeville Bears and was the lone freshman on the varsity team.

A possible filler in the guard slot this year for the Bears is diminutive Jimmy Moore, 5'10", 175 lbs., junior from Hindman, Ky. Jim was called one of the best shots in Kentucky while he was playing for Hindman High School. Some of his titles are All-State, All-5th District twice, and all-14th Regional twice in three years of basketball for Hindman. He captained the Hindman Yellowjackets in both his junior and senior years, averaging 30 points per game in the last year. After spending his freshman year at the University of Louisville, Moore has three years of eligibility remaining with the Bears.

Another big man in the Pikeville lineup this year is 6'4" forward Charles Blevins. Blevins is a transfer student from the University of South Carolina where he captained the basketball team in his freshman year. In his senior year in high school at Betsy Lane, Ky., Blevins averaged 25 points per game and received an honorable mention selection to the All-State team.

Georgia Southern "Eagles"

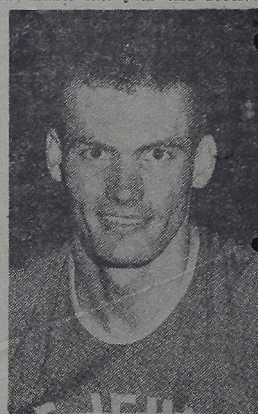
The return of Georgia Southern College to this year's Christmas Tournament also ushers the return of Bill Pickins to haunt his fellow teammates of last year's Camp Lejeune five. Bill, a 6'9" freshman, played with the Marines for the past two years and upon release from active duty, decided to complete his education at Georgia Southern. He will be handling most of the duties of the big men for the Eagles.

Georgia Southern's other big man is 6'7" Tony Thomson, from Hartford, Ky., back for his second year with the Eagles. Thomson will

also have a chance to haunt his ex-teammates. Two years ago, he played for the Bethel Junior College in Kentucky before transferring to Georgia Southern. Bethel is also entered in the Christmas Tourney. While playing with Bethel, the 190-lb. forward was named to the All-Tourney team for the Kentucky Junior College Championship.

Sharing the duties at center with Pickins this year is Chuck Bonovitch, a 6'6" sophomore from Key West, Fla. Chuck also played Marine Corps basketball prior to entering college.

An old face on the Georgia Southern squad is 6-foot guard Dave Patton. Patton led the Eagles in assists last year and received



BILL PICKINS

the Don Wallen Assist Award for his accomplishments. This is his third year with the Eagle five and is the first year as captain of the squad.

The Georgia Southern eagles are coached by Jim Searce Jr., now in his 15th year of coaching at the school. Their 1960-61 season record is 11-20.

Devilpups Basketball Schedule

Friday, Jan. 5:	White Oak, Home	7 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 6:	Topsail, Home	7 p.m.
Tuesday, Jan. 9:	Jasper, Away	7 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 12:	Swansboro, Home	7 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 20:	Beaufort, Home	7 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 27:	Topsail, Home	7 p.m.
Tuesday, Jan. 30:	Savannah, Away	7:30 p.m.

Lejeune Enters Tourney Unbeaten Four Straight

After polishing off the previously undefeated Marine Corps Supply Center, Albany, Ga., in two successive nights, 76-68 and 90-57, the Camp Lejeune Marines face a punishing eight-day layoff before they meet East Carolina College in their opening round of the fourth Annual Christmas Tournament on Dec. 27, at the Goettge Memorial Field House. Starting time for the Lejeune-East Carolina tilt will be 9 p.m.

In last Friday night's game, the Lejeune cagers had to go all out in posting a 76-68 win over the Georgia based Leathernecks.

"We played an entirely different ball game than we usually play," stated Player-Coach Jack Whelan. "With their height and depth, and a fair amount of shooters, we knew," the coach continued, "that if we played our usual running game, they would run us into the court."

The Albany cagers, paced by their high-scoring Player-Coach Bert Decker and Angie Cuttaia, went into Friday's game an apparent favorite because of their impressive 21-0 record, averaging over 100 points per game.

Lejeune, which is used to a fast-breaking attack, was forced to slow the ball down considerably and concentrate on accuracy and split-second timing, which it did throughout the second half.

Through the first half, the two Marine teams shared the lead 12 times. At the end of the half, the score was all knotted up at 39-39.

Lejeune's Jim Edmonds broke the last tie of the evening with 14 minutes to go in the game when he dropped in a three-point play to put the locals out in front, 50-47. From then on, it was all Camp Lejeune's ball game.

A big break for the Lejeune Marines came with less than 10 minutes remaining when Albany's big center, Angie Cuttaia fouled out of the game. He was followed by another starter, Jerry McCully, who fouled out shortly after.

Cuttaia, who has been high scorer for the Albany cagers for the past two years, was held to 14 points. McCully left the game with seven points for Lejeune.

Saturday night's game marked the entrance of a refreshed Marine five as they completely outplayed their Albany counterparts and walked away with their second straight win, 90-57.

Lejeune now boasts a perfect 4-0 record to Albany's 21-2.

BOX SCORES			
Lejeune	fg ft pt.	Albany	fg ft pt.
Dickinson	4 8 16	Decker	9 10 28
Edmonds	3 0 6	Cuttaia	4 6 14
Whelan	5 3 14	Morse	1 4 6
Bailey	2 1 5	R.M. Cully	1 6 8
Meyers	2 6 10	J.M. Cully	2 3 7
Wiley	2 3 7	R.M. Cully	2 3 7
White	1 2 4	Stewart	0 1 1
Santio	4 2 10		
Beck	1 9 2		
Totals	25 26 76	Totals	18 32 68

Lejeune	fg ft pt.	Albany	fg ft pt.
Dickinson	5 4 14	Morse	1 1 3
Edmonds	5 1 11	Cuttaia	4 5 13
Meyers	2 1 5	Hermiski	1 2 4
Bailey	1 0 2	J.M. Cully	1 0 2
Whelan	3 0 6	Hermiski	4 2 10
Santio	5 7 17	Craycraft	0 5 5
White	4 0 8	Kocot	1 0 2
Klien	1 0 2	Uhrin	4 1 9
Wiley	0 1 1	Hill	0 3 3
Day	1 0 2		
Gross	3 0 6		
Turner	3 4 10		
Goodrich	3 0 6		
Totals	36 18 90	Totals	20 17 57



EASY TWO—Lejeune's Dick Dickinson (10) gets by Albany's Leon Hermanowski for two points in Saturday night's game against the Marine Corps Supply Center, Albany, Ga. Lejeune took both ends of the two-game series, 76-68 and 90-57. (Photo by Sgt. J. F. Fraley)

Devilpup Grid Star Chosen On All-East

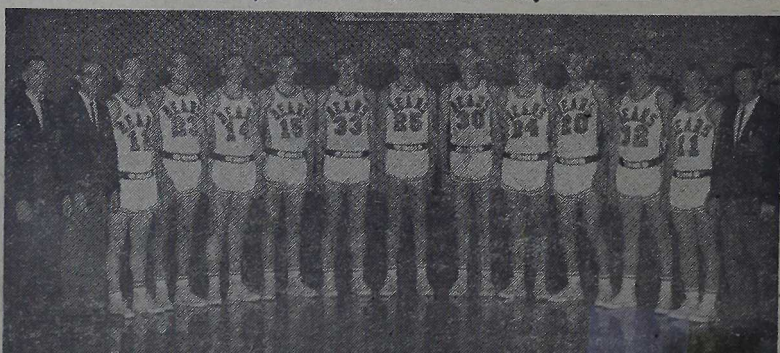
Rick Batdorff, 178-lb. stellar guard for the Camp Lejeune High School "Devilpups" garnered new honors for himself and for his team this week when he was selected to North Carolina's All-East, Class A, All-Star Team. Four other Lejeune High gridders were selected to either Second Team, or Honorable Mention All-East Teams. Tackle Ron Pruiett and end Chuck Pelon were selected to Second Team and half-back Dick Dube and guard Charles Churchill were chosen to the Honorable Mention listings.

"I am thrilled that we made out so well in the selections," Coach Tom McGhee said following the selections. "This is the first year one of our boys was selected to the first team. We have never placed so many on the squads before."

This is Batdorff's fourth year of varsity football. Before transferring to Lejeune, he played his freshman and sophomore years as a first-stringer on the Havelock varsity team. He played his junior year with the Lejeune squad and this year was selected as co-captain of the team.

Batdorff was the spark of the "Devilpups" winningest football team this year. As McGhee stated, "Rick is as tough as any boy I have ever seen blocking one-on-one. In one game," the coach continued, "we used him as a halfback and he carried the ball six straight times, including once for 45 yards and a score."

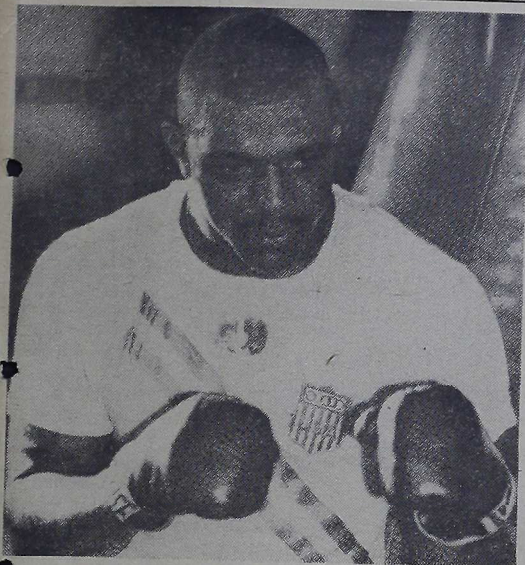
Both Pelon and Pruiett were mainstays in the Lejeune line this year. Ron Pruiett had been cited time after time as the big standout throughout the season.



DEFENDING CHAMPS—Last year's tourney champions, the Pikeville College Bears, are back to try to regain their title for the second straight year. They are, left to right, Joe Sharpe, Statistician; Cecil Gibson, Assistant Statistician; John Will

Hunt, Bill Stone, Pete Campbell, Roger Mullins, Charles Blevins, Don Elliott, Bob Eicher, Gerald Preston, Charles Duncil, H. L. Justice, Jim Moore, and Coach Paul Butcher.

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PERCY PRICE

Lejeune Boxer's Story Is 'Profile Of Courage'

As a young boy, Percy Price, paralyzed and bedridden with rheumatic fever, wondered if he would ever be able to play normally and enjoy life, as he listened to the care-free voices of children his own age playing in the street in front of his home. Today, Percy still remembers the driving pains he had to bear when

his mother, Mrs. Bernice Price, came to his bedside to turn him over because he was unable to move.

It does not bother him to remember his tribulations as a child because for the past three years, Percy Price has established himself as one of the best boxers in the Armed Services.

"My mother did a great deal for me in those times," states Price. "She forced me not to give up hope."

Once back on his feet, Percy exercised daily to strengthen his legs, which still give him trouble.

Price was in the Marines while stationed in Hawaii that Percy got his first taste of the ring.

"A buddy of mine was on the boxing team and he kept pestering me to try out for the team," Percy related. "I told him to leave me alone because I wanted to make some rank." However, before I realized it, I was in the ring."

He was introduced to boxing coaches Freddie Lenn, head coach, and his present coach, Matt Hardiman, then assistant coach of the Hawaii team.

It was these two men that took Price's 210 pounds of strength, natural ability and desire and polished

Eustis Tops Belvoir For First ECIC Win

The Fort Eustis "Wheels" basketball team won its first East Coast Inter-Service Conference game of the season last Friday night, as it edged the Ft. Belvoir, Va., "Engineers," 77-62 at Anderson Field House, Ft. Eustis, Va.

Both teams were slow in finding the scoring range in the opening half, but after Eustis forward Clem Reck dropped in the first bucket of the game, the "Wheels" were never behind thereafter, although they never led by more than six points through the first 20 minutes.

The "Engineers" pulled within two points in the final six minutes of the half. Eustis led at intermission, 37-31.

Bill Lattimer, Joe Alston and Ed Murn were the big guns in the second half spurt that saw the "Wheels" go ahead, 56-45 to break the game wide open. The visitors were never in striking distance again.

Bowl Games For Local TV Sports Fans

Marines remaining at Camp Lejeune for the holidays can look forward to seeing a total of eight bowl or Shrine football games to be telecast over local television stations.

Beginning on Dec. 30, WITN-TV, Channel 7, will televise the Blue-Gray game from Montgomery, Ala., at 1:45 p.m. to be followed by the East-West classic from San Francisco, Calif., at 4:45 p.m. New Year's Eve will feature the Professional World Championship between the Green Bay Packers and the New York Giants. This game is set to kick off at 1:45 p.m.

On New Year's Day, the Sugar Bowl will be televised, featuring the undefeated Univ. of Alabama against the Univ. of Arkansas. Game time for the Sugar Bowl is 1:45 p.m.

To climax WITN's bowl parade, the station will televise the traditional Rose Bowl game pitting the University of Minnesota against UCLA.

Four bowl games are slated for WNCN-TV of Greenville, N. C. At 2 p.m. on Dec. 30, the Gator Bowl from Jacksonville, Fla., will match Georgia Tech with the Nittany Lions of Penn State.

The Orange Bowl kicks off WNCN's coverage on New Year's Day with LSU taking on the Univ. of Colorado at Miami, Fla. The Cotton Bowl with Texas vs Mississippi will be viewed immediately after the Orange Bowl on the same station.

Wilmington, N. C.'s WECT-TV, Channel 6, has four games scheduled for the holidays. Kicking off television coverage will be the Blue-Gray game at 1:45 p.m. to be followed by the East-West Shrine game at 4:45 p.m.

On New Year's Day, both the Sugar Bowl at 1:45 p.m. and the Rose Bowl at 4:45 p.m. will be telecast.

Little Men Duel For Top Scoring Honors

Derek Dickinson took the scoring lead away from little Tony Santio this week but dropped one point to establish an average of 16.2 points per game.

Santio, who has a disadvantage because he is not a starter, is trailing Dickinson closely with 15.7 points per game.

In his third year with the Marine varsity, Dickinson averaged 10 points a game last year, and was considered one of the top front court men on the team. Santio, who is in his first year of varsity ball, took the Most Valuable Player award in the 1960 Fleet Marine Force, Atlantic Cade Tourney.

Neither Dickinson nor Santio has college experience but through the first four games, both players have had scoring totals in double figures.

Division Basketball

Final Standings, First Round		
Two-Star League		
1st Bn., 10th Mar.	7	0
Serv. Bn.	6	1
Recon. Bn.	5	2
4th Bn., 10th Mar.	4	3
3rd Bn., 6th Mar.	3	4
Hq. Bn., 2d Mar.	2	5
Motor Transport Bn.	1	6
Medical Bn.	0	7
One-Star League		
3rd Bn., 10th Mar.	7	0
1st Bn., 6th Mar.	6	1
2d Bn., 6th Mar.	4	2
Hq. Bn.	3	4
Pioneer Bn.	3	4
2d Bn., 8th Mar.	1	5
Anti-Tank Bn.	1	6
2d Bn., 10th Mar.	1	6



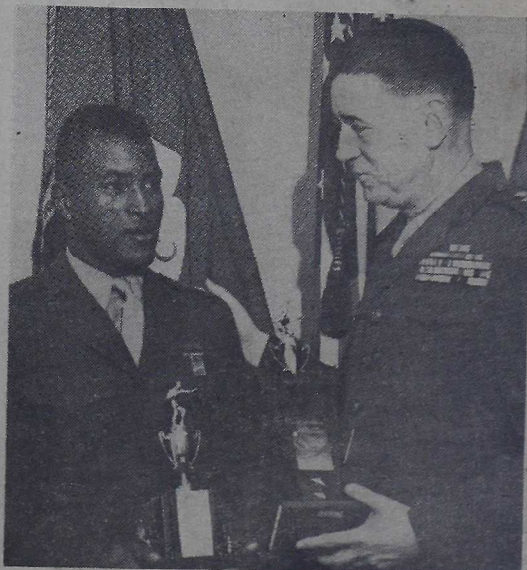
Per usual, we had our foot in our mouth last week and now must apologize for the error of our ways. . . . For the past two issues, we have dubbed Tony Santio, Lejeune's 5-foot-9 backcourt ace, as Ron Santio, and last week we called East Coast Interservice Boxing Champ Granville Davis, Willie. In line with Billy Shakespeare's oft-repeated quote—"He who steals my purse steals trash, but he who steals my good name, etc."—we offer our humble apologies to both Santio and Davis. . . . Incidentally, there is a Willie Davis. He and Granville are brothers and both are excellent representatives of this Base in the squared circle. . . .

Simply Amazing

We are continually amazed by the strength shown so far by Lejeune's basketball squad. . . . They were supposed to have been in over their heads against both Sub-Lant and MCSC, Albany—yet, in each case won handily. . . . Man for man, this year's squad are boys in a man's game, with a lack of height and experience it would take a gross of Bill Russells to cure. . . . You keep wondering when they're going to run out of gas, since on paper, and only on paper, they don't look like they could beat Camp Lejeune High. . . . With only two men on the squad who have played any college ball to speak of, coach Jack Whelan has placed a tremendous load on three or four of his more experienced players, however, it must be pointed out that his whole squad has responded brilliantly so far this year. . . . The Marines face a long, tough season ahead against squads loaded with ex-college and service-experienced players. . . . While we have underrated them so far this year, and they have proved us wrong, we'll continue casting them in the role of underdog and hope we're wrong all the way down the line. . . . In the meantime we continue to stand along the sidelines and applaud along with a host of others. . . .

Christmas Tourney

This year's Christmas tournament (Dec. 27-29) shapes up as one of the best, with a lot of top-flight basketball on tap. . . . If you miss this, you'll be missing a good bet to boost Lejeune into the thick of the conference basketball race this year. . . . Since we don't have a great deal of information on all of the college teams entered, a pre-tourney prediction is not in order. . . . However, of the two we do know about, one should be a top contender for the title. . . . Elon, pace-setter for the Carolinas conference, recently finished second in the Ft. Lee Invitational, losing only to Lee in the finals and this without their top scorer, Dewey Andrew. . . . The "Fighting Christians" have not lost a regular season game this year, standing 7-0 against college competition. . . . To be rated as a strong contender for ECIC honors this year, Lejeune will almost have to recapture the tourney title they lost to Pikeville (Ky.) College here last year. . . . The reasoning behind this statement is the fact that both Quantico and Lee ran away with their tournaments, and are considered in most quarters as the teams to beat in the conference race. . . . And in winning both Lee and Quantico whipped the same level of competition that is entered in the holiday classic here. . . . The big problem facing Lejeune is the lack of height to throw against the collegians, but we look for the Marines to be right in the thick of things—as usual. . . .



COVETED TROPHY—Cpl. Granville Davis, winner of the light-welterweight crown in the East Coast Interservice Boxing Matches at Bolling Air Force Base, presents the runner-up team trophy to Maj. Gen. J. P. Berkeley. The Marines from Lejeune finished second to the U. S. Army in these bouts.

Career Advisory Highlights

Newly Promoted E-9's



Sgt. Maj. E. A. Parker



Sgt. Maj. R. L. Green

Promotions

FORCE TROOPS:

1st Lt. Robert H. Dietrich, 2d Am-Tracs. Bn.
HMCS Vincent A. Hawkins, 2d Hosp. Co.
Sgts. William Pitts, Jr., Lawrence E. Douglas, Alex G. Middleton, 8th MT Bn.
Sgts. Walter P. Griffin, Raymond T. Hill, Charles F. Floyd, Vernell A. Wright, 2d Tank Bn.
Sgts. Henry C. Boucher Jr., Franklin D. Butler, Arthur E. Becker, Paul

F. Hansen, Edward G. Kinderman Jr., Lemuel N. McMaster Jr., 2d Bridge Co.
LCpls. Thomas H. Mills, Albert C. White, Grayson H. Williams, 2d Tank Bn.

LCpls. John M. Roberts, Ronald J. Sutovich, Alan P. Hutchings, Frank G. McCulley, 8th MT Bn.

2D DIVISION:

Sgts. George H. Suess, Alfred W. Green, Phillip L. Taylor; Cpls. George W. Hollibaugh Jr., and Bobby N. Hallmark, and LCpl. Jackie E. Bell, all of Hq. Bn.

Sgts. Claude E. Taylor, Maywood E. Donley, Joseph J. Crowther, Billy J. Wilson, Paul R. Sutton, Albert C. Roysden, Arthur R. Hayslip, James T. Handrinos, Frederick L. Branch, Jackie D. Baker and Joseph E. Lestage, all of 2d Bn., 6th Marines.

Cpls. "J" "C" Brock, Charles P. Eldridge, James D. Hubbard, Tyrone H. Baptist, John E. Jones; LCpls. Frank E. Kovacs, Richard M. Keen, William Fabian, Albert Carpenter, Harold W. Luken, Raymond Gostie, John D. Fox, Charles R. Eldridge, David J. Swallows, Julian N. Cannady Jr., Reginald H. Rouchard, William C. Ervin Jr., Lester R. Jones, Virgil J. K. Beck, Garner Bailey Jr., Joseph L. Gause, Robert R. Johnson, Joseph Lomely and John R. Malone, all of 3rd Bn., 6th Marines.

1st Lt. William H. Dabney, 2d Bn., 8th Marines.

Pfcs Jack M. Ackerman, Prince E. Allen, Raymond P. Balco, Robert A. Balcoa, David A. Canty, Joseph H. Cannon Jr., Albert K. Carlton Jr., Gordon W. Carpenter, John H. Carr, Frank C. Cennane, David N. Cockman, Richard W. Cole, William W. Connors, John L. Corrales, James A. Erti, Joseph L. Evans, Newman G. Evans, Charles Federico, David H. Fleischer, Walter E. Fletcher Jr., "J" "C" Forrester Jr., Arnette D. Carten, Robert F. Gelda, Jackie L. Gill, David A. Gonzales, Ronald W. Grisson, Ronald E. Hanson, Walter E. Hornbaker, Ronald M. Howell, David B. Hughes, Burton R. Johnson, James M. Kendrick, Peter L. Kreimes, Donald Kryszak, John C. Lauer, Richard Lawlor, John P. Lewis, Russel J. Liotard, Thomas M. Lloyd, Thomas A. MacEachern, Jer-

Citation Given 2d FSR Career Advisory NCO

MSgt. Harold A. Teeters, NCOIC, of the Career Advisory Section, 2d Force Service Regiment, was awarded a Letter of Appreciation by Brig. Gen. Wood B. Kyle, commanding general, Force Troops, during ceremonies held in the general's office recently.

The commendation read in part: "As NCOIC of the Regiment's career advisory section you have been responsible for an increase in the reenlistment rate almost every month, through your professional ability, initiative, and coordination of subordinate career advisory personnel. Throughout the difficult task assigned to you, the spirit and leadership you displayed set a high example for your subordinates in carrying out your duties."

ry L. Mahoney, Robert J. McIntyre, Paul E. McLaughlin, Michael L. McPhail, Edward Milton, Joseph A. Morse, Bruce D. Murren, Kenneth F. Palmer, John W. Patrick, Ronald D. Perry, Dennis C. Phillips, Jack Pressnall, Lacy R. Queen, William H. Reese, Johnnie L. Roberts, John Robidoux, Harry C. Robinson, Thomas Roche, Norman C. Satchell, James A. Scott, Robert V. Seerist, Robert T. Shaver, Samuel C. Sirman, Graham A. Simons, Bill W. Slocumb, Zandal Spell, Thomas A. Stanik, Robert A. Stone, Travis L. Suttles, Donald Talbot, George "D" Taylor Jr., Charles T. Van Sickle II, William W. Watson Jr., Kenneth R. Whitaker, Roby P. Widener Jr., and Don H. Williams, all of 2d Bn., 8th



SWAPS GROUND FOR AIR—Sgt. Vernon Parish, left, swaps his rifle and steel helmet for an aircraft wrench from Capt. W. H. Becraft, Maintenance Officer, H&MS-26, MAG-26, Marine Corps Air Facility, New River. Sergeant Parish, a 14-year Marine Corps veteran and former automotive mechanic, will begin on-the-job training as a helicopter mechanic in the H&MS engine shop. In the background is one of the types of helicopter engines his training will include. (Photo by Pfc J. M. Fabiano)

Marines.

Sgts. James L. Cribb, Donald J. Gregory, William O. Jones and Charles W. Taylor, 1st Bn., 10th Marines.

Sgts. William E. Travis, Salvador I. Navarro, Robert A. Wood, Leroy T. Lape, William L. Oliver and Cpl. Raymond E. Brightman, 2d Bn., 10th Marines.

Reenlistments

FORCE TROOPS:

Sgt. Maj. Charles F. Martin, 8th Comm. Bn., three years.
GySgt. William J. Silva, 2d Am-Trac Bn., three years.
Sgt. W. P. Facello, 8th Engr. Bn., six years.

Sgt. Ronald P. Alexander, 8th Comm. Bn., six years.

Sgt. Virgil P. Baker, 8th Engr. Bn., six years.

Sgt. H. H. Hawkins, 2d FSR, six years.

Cpl. R. L. Bagley, 8th Engr. Bn., six years.

Cpl. Robert W. Wagner, 2d Comp. Rad. Co., six years.

Cpl. Terry F. Bunch, 2d AmTrac Bn., six years.

Cpl. Duane A. King, 8th Comm. Bn., six years.

Cpl. James L. Hall, 2d AmTrac Bn., six years.

LCpl. James R. Burdette, 2d FSR, six years.

Pfc Donald J. Heck, 2d Tank Bn., six years.

Pvt. Larry C. Majurin, Hq. Co., two years.

Cpl. W. C. Shoemaker, 8th Comm. Bn., extended two years.

Cpl. C. E. Penkwitz, 8th Comm. Bn., extended two years.

Cpl. John J. Brown, 2d ANGLICO, extended one year.

Cpl. E. A. Mustachia, 8th Comm. Bn., extended one year.

Cpl. W. H. Upton, 8th Comm. Bn., extended three months.

LCpl. S. E. Metevn, 8th Comm.,

extended two years.

LCpl. Fred L. Martin, 8th Comm. Bn., extended for one year.

LCpl. R. G. Haltom, 8th Comm. Bn., extended six months.

LCpl. Francis W. Gozdalski, 2d ANGLICO, extended six months.

LCpl. T. L. Stanley, 8th Comm. Bn., extended six months.

Pfc Thomas H. Parker, 2d ANGLICO, extended one year.

Sergeant Day Cited By FT Deputy Cmdr.

Sgt. Kenneth J. Day, a member of 2d Force Recon Co., Force Troops, was awarded a Meritorious Mast by Col. L. A. Ennis, Deputy Commander of Force Troops. The ceremony was conducted in the deputy commander's office.

The mast cited Day: "As being the only member of the company's embarkation section during the period of Aug. 25 to Oct. 25, while the embarkation officer was away at school, and during this period handled mountaintop operations for the company's deployment at St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, in an exemplary manner."

It was also noted in the mast: "That the embarkation sections of PHIBRON and embarked Marine Expeditionary Units were high in their praise of your efforts."

McLaughlin Stands Mast For Leadership Ability And Morale

GySgt. James A. McLaughlin, 8th Motor Transport Battalion, Force Troops, received a Meritorious Mast from his battalion commander, Maj. F. O. Olson.

McLaughlin was awarded the mast for his performance of duty during the period April 27 to Nov. 17. In a letter announcing the award, the commanding officer said: "From the moment of arrival, GySgt. McLaughlin undertook the improvement of maintenance techniques with the overall goal of increasing production and reduction of deadline vehicles. By his example of leadership and personal interest, McLaughlin has instilled higher morale and a desire to produce quality workmanship in all of the Marines' subject directly and indirectly to his supervision."

Neff Receives Certificate Of Appreciation

GySgt. Gaylord Neff, Career Advisory NCO of the 6th Marines, has received a certificate of appreciation, signed by the Commandant of the Marine Corps, Gen. David M. Shoup.

Maj. Gen. Frederick L. Wiseman, commanding general of the 2d Marine Division, presented Sergeant Neff the certificate during ceremonies held at the Division Headquarters.

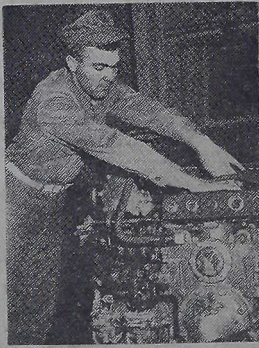
Sergeant Neff, formerly career advisory NCO for the 3rd Battalion, 6th Marines, received the certificate for his part in successfully explaining the benefits of a military career to 165 members of his regiment who reenlisted or extended during the third quarter of the current year.

Pomerance Receives Mast For Unselfish Devotion To Duties

GySgt. Harvey A. Pomerance, a member of Communication Support Co., Force Troops, was awarded a Meritorious Mast from his battalion commander, Lt. Col. V. M. Johnson.

The mast read in parts: "For exceptional meritorious performance of assigned duties as Company Operations Chief and Gunnery Sergeant of Comm. Supt. Co., 8th Comm. Bn., Force Troops, and for outstanding and unselfish devotion to duty."

Colonel Johnson also stated: "His extraordinary professionalism in coordinating the assignments and tasks of the unit, and constant supervision and foresight in the assignment of tasks ensuring the right man at the right place at the right time, with 50 per cent of his unit deployed throughout the world at various times displays an attitude of esprit and devotion to the Marine Corps which is highly desirable in the Marine non-commissioned officer."

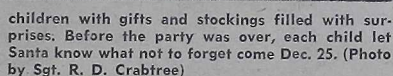


A-1 MECHANIC — and a top-notch scholar. Pfc Joseph A. McNeil, 2d Tank Battalion, Force Troops, applies some of the knowledge he gained from the Tank Maintenance course at Camp Pendleton, Calif. McNeil just recently returned from the school where he was the honor graduate. A native of Massachusetts, McNeil has less than a year in the Marine Corps.



MASS PROMOTION—Sergeant (E-5) warrants were presented en masse last week to 10 members of the Automatic Supply Distribution Battalion, 2d FSR. They are, left to right: Frank Nunalee; Richard Castiglioni; Edward W. Ellis Jr.; William C.

Johnson; Martin E. Turner; Clyde B. Rasnick; James L. Spense; Edward C. Shaw; John S. Vineyard, and Gerald J. Reber. Frederick P. Thompson was also promoted, but was not present for the picture. (Photo by Pfc H. L. Shaw)



and Joseph Keiley; Charles Wood appeared as Gabriel and the angels were Suzanne Barnes, Deborah Behnke and Jo Ann Staggs. Christmas carols were sung by children in grades one through six. (Photo by Pfc W. E. Friesendorf)

The Geiger Wives Club will have their first meeting of the new year on Jan. 9 in the Camp Geiger Community Center. A white elephant auction is scheduled. All wives are cordially invited and asked to bring along a friend. A free nursery and free refreshments will be furnished.

Spring Class Registration Begins At ECC January 15

Registration for the spring semester classes at East Carolina College will be conducted on January 15, 16, 19, 20 and 22 from 8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. in the East Carolina College office, building 67. Classes for Physics 125 will begin on Jan. 8. The office is closed until Dec. 28. Tuition assistance for the courses is available. Application must be made on Form MCBCL 590 and endorsed by commanding officer. The form must be presented upon registration.

Regular tuition fee is \$8 per quarter hour. The Marine Corps will pay \$5 toward the fee and persons eligible for tuition assistance will pay only \$3 per quarter hour. All fees must be in money order or check and payable to East Carolina College. No cash will be

Trigonometry 75 (5)	Typing 1 & 2 (4)
Prin of Economics 111 (5)	Rural Sociology 120 (5)
Extension	
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Wednesday	
French 3 (5)	World History 141 fr 1500 (5)
English 1 (5)	Algebra 65 (5)
Gen Math 45 (5)	Int to Bus 10 (5)
Shorthand 114 (3)	Ed Psychology 205 (5)
Health & Phys Ed 123 (5)	
Extension	
Diff Calculus 216 (5)	Bus Law 242 (5)
Thursday	
Spanish 3 (5)	Russian 1 (5)
Am History 51 fr 1865 (5)	English 2 (5)
Analytical Geom 120 (5)	Music Appreciation 120 (5)
Typing 1 & 2 (4)	Childhood Psy 201 (4)
Physical Geography 101 (4)	Physics 125 Lab (4)
Extension	
English 217 Pub Spkg (3)	
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Spanish 1 (5)	Russian 1 (5)

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'Airborne' Glad Marines' CARE

expressed their appreciation of who contributed food to letter received Dec. Services Officer, the contribution of food when they wrote a letter company two cases of "C" shipped to the Reservists who had complained about living conditions at the giant base.

Dependents' Information

Every year during the Christmas season a plague of fires rages throughout our country. Many result from the extra hazards existing during the holiday season. Little careless acts—that seem so unimportant at the time—cause these holiday tragedies. They are all avoidable if these simple rules are followed:

- Support the tree well. Don't situate it near sources of heat (fireplaces, radiators, stoves, heaters) or where it will block the exits of a room or building in event the tree should catch fire and fall over.
- Use only electrical lighting sets bearing the UL (Underwriter's Laboratory) label of approval.
- Check lighting sets for frayed wires, loose connections and broken light sockets before using.
- Be sure the fuse in the electrical circuit is not rated over 15 amperes. Don't plug too many extensions in this circuit.
- Make certain that Christmas tree lighting is turned off and that all electrical toys are unplugged before retiring to bed or leaving the house.
- Use only non-combustible materials (metal, glass, asbestos, etc.) to decorate the home for Christmas wherever possible. When combustible materials must be used, be sure they are "flameproofed" particularly if they are to be anywhere near the Christmas tree.
- Don't buy highly combustible pyroxylin plastic dolls or toys.
- Toys which are operated by alcohol, kerosene or gasoline are dangerous for children and should be supervised by parents when used.
- Don't let Christmas wrappings accumulate around the home, rather remove such wrappings promptly to metal trash containers outside.
- Don't allow smoking close to the Christmas tree or amidst piles of wrapping.
- Plan what to do in case fire should break out.
- Know the emergency telephone number of the local fire department.
- Know the location of the nearest fire alarm box and know how to turn in an alarm from this box in an emergency.
- Have a fire extinguisher, or a garden hose hooked up or a pail of water handy during the holiday season—just in case of fire.
- If a fire should occur, get everyone out of the house first, then call the local fire department. Do this before attempting to fight the fire. For fire, pull fire alarm box or telephone Base extension 3333.

Sicily Native Home Xmas With Family

On Oct. 23, 1951, 10-year-old Gaetano Stassi arrived in the United States with his mother, leaving behind in Sicily his father and 12-year-old sister.

Now, after 10 years, Pfc Gaetano Stassi, United States Marine Corps, is spending a 10-day Christmas leave with his father and sister in his birthplace of Palermo, Sicily.

Stassi is serving with the 3rd Bn., (Reinforced), 2d Marines, in the Mediterranean Sea. He was granted a 10-day Christmas leave by his battalion commander and will fly from Athens, Greece, where Battalion



PFC GAETANO STASSI

Landing Team 3/2 is spending the Christmas holidays, to Palermo to spend the holiday season with his father, Anthony, a Sicilian government employee, and his sister, Adriane.

Private Stassi says he is "excited" about seeing his father and sister again.

"I haven't seen them in 10 years and I don't know quite what to expect," he said.

"When I left Sicily," he continued, "my father had just started working for the government and my sister was still in pigtails."

"Now my father has been working for the government for more than a decade and has progressed accordingly, and my sister has grown into womanhood," he added.



GYSGT. JOE LEVASSEUR

Santa's Assistance Plea Results In Bulging Sleigh

Hundreds of telephone calls daily, letters pouring in from everywhere, toys arriving by car and truck, offers of job opportunities as well as numerous speaking engagements have flooded GySgt. Joe (Santa Claus) Levasseur in the three weeks since he appealed for help from Camp Lejeune Marines. Santa Levasseur, the originator of "Operation Santa Claus" which began seven years ago when he

was stationed at Albany, Ga., ran into a production snag three weeks ago. Trying to make this year's operation a success seemed rather dim until he asked the help of fellow Marines of Camp Lejeune to bring his supply of toys up to full strength. This week his supply of toys exceeds 4000 and latest reports indicates they are still pouring into his North Pole workshop.

The Gunny and his wife Mayetta, and their five children have been working overtime at their home workshop repairing the toys and dolls that are still arriving and the house is just one "big mess" but Mrs. Santa Claus isn't worried one bit about the house work until the job is completed.

The idea for "Operation Santa Claus" began in 1955 when the sergeant's five children came up with the idea of giving some of their own used toys to some of the less-fortunate boys and girls in the area of the Supply Center.

"The first year we used only the toys our own children had owned. They were repaired and distributed to only five families. Last year, we furnished over 3,000 toys to families that might not have had them otherwise. This year we will be able to bring Christmas joy and cheer to over 5,000 needy children."

In addition to receiving toys, food and clothing from organizations and individuals alike, the Marine Corps Santa was the recipient of an unusual gift from St. Paul, Minn., which contained over 200 junior toothbrushes. The package was sent to the Base Dental Officer here to give to the sergeant for the children's Christmas stockings. This particular gift assured the Gunny he would definitely bring bright smiles to the children for a long time to come.

Within 60 days GySgt. Joe Levasseur will be eligible to retire from the Marine Corps. But whether the "ambassador of good will" retires or decides to reenlist, he states "this has been the happiest Christmas I have ever known."

The first Marine aviator was Lt. Alfred A. Cunningham, who later became the first Director of Marine Aviation.

Lt. Col. Noren Honored For Church Work

A Certificate of Appreciation from the General Commission on Chaplains and Armed Forces Personnel, Washington, D. C., was presented to Lt. Col. Wesley C. Noren, commanding officer, 3rd Battalion, 6th Marine Division.

The presentation, made by Maj. Gen. Frederick L. Wieseman, was witnessed by the entire battalion.

The certificate cited the colonel "for devoted and valuable services rendered the Protestant religious program at Camp Lejeune." It is presented annually to the person of each military establishment whose contributions to the station's religious program is considered outstanding.

The colonel was especially commended for his religious activities during the 3d Battalion's deployment to the Mediterranean from April 12 until Oct. 12.

Area Marines Take Honor At PI School

Two area Marines named Kelly took top honors at Parris Island in a nine-week Personnel Administrative Chief's Course.

Sgt. George W. Kelly, Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point, led the way with a 98 per cent average, while Sgt. Daniel W. Kelly, 2d Marine Division, took second place with 96 per cent.

Sgt. Daniel Kelly is the non-commissioned officer in charge of the Division Order Writing Section at Camp Lejeune.

Sergeant Kelly, George W., that is, is a material control clerk on Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron, Wing Headquarters Group, Second, Marine Aircraft Wing, Cherry Point.

1962 License Plates

Marines with automobiles registered in North Carolina may purchase their new '62 tags from the Carolina Motor Association beginning Jan. 2. The Motor Association, 905 Marine Blvd., is the only authorized place in Onslow County selling the new plates and Marines are urged to avoid the crowds by getting there first. Deadline date for new tags is midnight, Feb. 15. Prices for the new tags are \$10, \$12 and \$15, dependent upon the make and weight of the car.